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Incentive Program: Public Fleet Electric Vehicles & Public Workplace Charging Stations

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) is pleased to announce that funding is now available for municipalities and state agencies to demonstrate leadership and their commitment to market development of zero emission vehicles (ZEV) through the purchase of electric vehicles (EVs) and the installation of EV charging stations for their workplace. The goal of this program is to support ongoing efforts towards putting 3.3 million EVs on the road by 2025 and includes the opportunity to receive funding for fleet EV purchases in conjunction with workplace charger installation.

Connecticut's cheaper, cleaner and more reliable energy future depends on EVs, which will put us on a path toward greater energy independence. Utilizing funds made available through the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative, DEEP will provide a reimbursement of \$15,000 per vehicle and \$10,000 per charger meeting the program guidance specifications, to a maximum of six EVs and chargers per grant recipient. The widespread introduction of EVs and additional EV charging infrastructure into Connecticut will also create economic development opportunities, while reducing air pollution and moving us closer towards meeting our long term climate change targets.

If your town or agency is interested in supporting Connecticut's clean energy future by adding EVs to your fleet and expanding EV charging infrastructure, I strongly encourage you to review the attached pages containing important information about this program. Your participation will help set the stage for economic development opportunities related to ZEVs in the state.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Klee
Commissioner
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Environmental Protection